

WEALTH IS NOT HIS THAT HAS IT, BUT HIS THAT ENJOYS IT.—Benjamin Franklin.

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FERNALD NAMED NEW MEMBER FHA COUNTY COMMITTEE

Lawrence E. Caldwell of Turner, is the new member of the Androscoggin County Committee for the Farmers Home Administration. Mr. Caldwell is a well-known dairy farmer in this area. He is very active in Extension work and at present is a member of the Executive Board. He replaces Charles B. Tibbets of Lisbon Falls, whose term expired on July 1st.

The other two members of the Committee are Harold A. Libby of Auburn and Glen W. Torrey of Poland.

The new members of the Oxford County Committee is Erville A. Fernald of Stow. He replaces Donald W. Buzzell of Fryeburg, whose term also expired on July 1st. Mr. Fernald is also a dairy farmer and is very familiar with the problems and conditions in the section of Oxford County where he resides.

Also serving on the Oxford County Committee are Arthur L. Cummings of South Paris and Martin W. Colby of Rumford Point.

There is a County Committee in every agricultural county in the country. The committee determines the eligibility of applicants and helps the county supervisor adapt the agency's policies and services to local conditions. Each member is named for a 3 year term.

The Farmers Home Administration makes loans to farmers to buy, improve, enlarge, or operate efficient family-type farms. It also lends money to farmers or their non-profit associations to establish and carry on approved soil and water conservation practices. Purposes include establishing and improving permanent pastures, terracing, soil erosion practices, and many other conservation measures.

Before the agency can make any loan, the applicant must have the approval of the County Committee. In case of a Farm Ownership loan, the farm must also be approved. The agency does not make a loan of any type to an applicant whose credit needs can be handled by other credit sources.

Benjamin A. Curtis, Jr., is the County Supervisor for Androscoggin and Oxford Counties. His office is located in the Masonic Building in South Paris.

FOUR-H CLUBS CLOSE MEMBERSHIP YEAR WITH 2,784 PROJECTS

When the 4-H Club membership rosters were closed for this year, Maine had boys and girls enrolled in 8,784 projects in agriculture and homemaking. Counties with increased enrollment over 1954 were Knox-Lincoln, Piscataquis, Oxford, Cumberland, Central and Southern Aroostook, and North Aroostook. Having the largest 4-H memberships were Knox-Lincoln, Penobscot, Northern Aroostook, Androscoggin-Sagadahoc, Oxford and Somerset.



HONORS ROSE . . . Mrs. Edward Milholland, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., (right), national chairman of "Flame for America" committee, gives Maine's Sen. Margaret Chase Smith postcard signed by 25,000 asking Rose to be named national flower.

COMMENTS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

It is perhaps time for Bethel people to begin thinking about "Town Ordinances." Assuming the Village Corporation is taken over by the Town, we will then have no local regulations.

Do the voters of Bethel want parking regulations?

Do you want any type of residential or commercial restrictions?

In order to keep up the new property records (that will be on file at the completion of the Revaluation program) building permits for new construction and major improvements will be a real help to the future assessments.

Written suggestions as to your opinions as to Ordinances submitted to the Town Office will be appreciated.

O. T. Rozelle

BETHEL SOLDIER RETURNING ON "OPERATION GYROSCOPE"

Sgt Onell G. Saunders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Saunders, is scheduled to fly from Japan to Fort Bragg, N. C., with the 187th Airborne Regimental Combat Team

as part of Operation Gyroscope, the Army's new unit rotation plan.

The operation is the first large scale air transfer of units.

Sgt Saunders, a section leader in Service Company of the 187th, entered the Army in August, 1950 and has been overseas since March, 1953.

Lee Carroll spent the week end with friends at Boothbay Harbor. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Etherington of Randolph, Vt., are spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Anderson.

The MEC fair and food sale which was planned to be held on July 28, will take place on Saturday, Aug. 13, at the Odd Fellows hall.

HOLSTEIN-FRIESIAN FIELD DAY TO BE HELD AT TURNER, JULY 26

An outstanding speaking program and a chicken barbecue will feature the annual New England Field Day of Holstein-Friesian associations in Turner at Brigeen Farms on Tuesday, July 26.

Topping the speaking program at one o'clock in the afternoon will be Maine's Governor Edmund S. Muskie; John S. Cooper of Brattleboro, Vermont, director of extension work for the National Holstein-Friesian Association, and Dean of Agriculture Arthur L. Doering of the University of Maine.

The chicken barbecue at noon is under the direction of Extension Agent Charles L. Eastman of Lewiston.

Brigeen Farms, owned by the Hugh Briggs, Sr. and Jr., will have its facilities and herd on display. The herd has 65 milkers at the present time and is more than 75% home-bred, recently receiving a Holstein-Friesian Progressive Breeder's Registry Award.

The arrangements committee consists of Hugh Briggs, Jr., chairman, and Richard Shaw of Sanford, Robert Nutt of Corinna, Robert Waterman of Sabattus, and Eben Haggard of Damariscotta Mills.



REPORTS SAVINGS . . . Ex-Pres. Herbert Hoover said U. S. budget would balance and taxes could be cut 2 billion dollars if recommendations of his reorganization committee were followed.

The Week in Oxford County
Norway Firemen are celebrating their 10th annual Circus and Old Home Week at Airport Field, Alpine Street, Norway. The grand parade will be on Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

The Central Oxford County Hospital Association Committee reports the barn on the Foster place is being demolished in preparation for the hospital building to be erected on the premises.

The Universal Church at Can-ton observed its 100th anniversary.

Finally, Whitlum, after dark, traveling on the highway after dark with a tractor with or without trailing equipment is dangerous business. Many times it's hard to tell whether the equipment is coming or going. Many new tractors are equipped with a combination rear lamp and tail light that can be switched from red to white. Safety tape strips of reflective material are also available. In some areas Future Farmers of America chapters are selling such strips to farmers to attach to all their equipment which may be on the highway after dark.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Young in West Buckfield was burned Monday. Fourteen were made homeless. It was reported there was no insurance.

888 LESSONS HAVE BEEN GIVEN AT SWIMMING CLASSES

As swimming lessons enter the fourth week, a total of 888 lessons have been given to the students enrolled in classes. We have been most fortunate in having fair weather every day, and hope that the next three weeks will be as favorable.

Beginners who have earned their certificates already are as follows: Dwight Lord, Deborah Howe, Jill Orton, Norma Jean Kimball, Don Orton, Charlene Swain, Edward Bush, and James Davis. These students will enter the Intermediate Class and work on more advanced strokes.

There are some who have questioned the methods of teaching swimming, asking why the instructor does not go into the water and show the strokes. Such a method has been tried and found inefficient. Anyone doubting this is at liberty to disprove it.

METHODIST COUPLES CLUB MEMBERS ENJOY OUTING WITH FOSSETTS AT PEMAQUID

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fossett entertained members of the Methodist Couples Club at their cottage at Pemaquid on Sunday. A lobster dinner was enjoyed as well as a sightseeing trip to Pemaquid Point.

Those making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Blake MacKay, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angevine.

WHITLUM CALLS FOR TRACTOR SAFETY ON HIGHWAY

"Safety is called for when Maine farmers use tractors and other farm equipment on the highways," noted today Ralph B. Whitlum, agricultural editor of the Lewiston Daily Sun. Whitlum is state chairman of National Farm Safety Week July 24 to 30 and is a member of the Maine Farm and Home Safety Council.

Farm tractor drivers should be able to see 700 feet in either direction when they approach the highway from the farm road or driveway. This means trimming back the hedges and removing other obstructions to their view of the highway. Also, farmers should wait for the highway to clear before entering.

Tractor drivers should obey "stop" signs. Also, they should remember that it takes longer to start up and get onto or across the highway than with some vehicles. This means allowing plenty of time.

Whitlum suggests using warning red flags to show motorists the width of wide equipment on the roadbed. Traveling partly on the shoulder insures the other lane of traffic its fair share of the road.

Tractor drivers should always signify to oncoming traffic their intention of turning. However, they shouldn't stand up unless it's absolutely necessary to make their arms seen over following equipment. If traffic is close behind, it's often better to wait until it thins a little before turning.

The Farm Safety Week chairman advises against trying to trail a long string of farm equipment on or across the highway. Oncoming motor vehicles frequently fail to realize how slowly this equipment is moving in relation to their own speed. Even if the tractor driver has the right of way, that doesn't help much to mend broken bones or damaged machinery.

An ordinary bolt or pin makes a poor hitch for a trailer travelling on the highway, points out Whitlum. Such a trailer may break away and cause an accident.

Drivers of slow-moving vehicles on the highway will find a red flag hoisted high atop a fish pole or other pole may warn a driver coming over a sharp dip in the road in time to save an accident.

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STATE POLICE SAY COURTESY BEST RULE OF THE ROAD

"An aggressively independent attitude on the part of a driver is almost certain to lead him into an accident eventually," our State Police observed today.

They pointed out that each driver must share the road with other drivers and pedestrians and that, if he is too insistent upon his rights or if he drives with a chip on his shoulder most of the time, he is inviting serious trouble.

"Make courtesy your code of the road," they urged. "You'll find that you'll be much more relaxed when your trip is over, and you'll have a much better time en route. It may surprise you to discover," they added, "that other drivers will return your courtesy almost every time."

"The application of common courtesy to traffic situations," they concluded, "will prevent many accidents."

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Lorraine York is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Bert Brown returned home Saturday from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston.

Mrs. Eugene McNally, Bangor, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Rev. Fr. LaChance is staying at Bethel Inn while conducting services here.

Patricia McMillin of Woodstock is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick McMillin.

Mrs. Marshall Hastings returned Wednesday from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Sturgis of Chestnut Hill, Mass., is spending two weeks at Bethel Inn.

Construction of the new home of Mr. and Mrs. John Messere on Main Street is under way.

Mrs. Clyde Shores and Miss Doris Shores of Belfast were week end guests of Mrs. H. P. Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Vachon and son, Paul, returned Saturday from a vacation in Canada.

The Misses Methel and Ida Packard are spending a two weeks vacation at "Royal Rest" in Orr's Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown were in Athens Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Florence Hurd.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hillier and children left Thursday for Bangor where they will spend the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hastings and son, Edward, of Dorchester, Mass., arrived last week at their summer home on Broad Street.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf, Mrs. Donald Brown and daughter, Danna, visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wentzell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elchel and son, George.

Edgar Darby has accepted a position with the State Department of Education, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, and expects to be located in Augusta. During the past year he has been principal of Crescent Park School.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Parkin were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown at Auke Bay, Alaska. Dr. Parkin was formerly District Superintendent of the Maine Methodist Conference. He is now head of Missions in the United States and Alaska with headquarters in New York, and they had attended a conference at Seward, Alaska. They expect to be in Maine next month.

Miss Dorothy Arndt, of the Gould Academy faculty for the past five years, has been appointed physical director for girls in the Lisbon elementary and high schools.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to my many friends who sent me cards, flowers, gifts or visited me while I was in the hospital.

GOULD CLASS OF 1940 HOLDS REUNION AT SONGO

The Class of 1940, Gould Academy, met Saturday, July 16, for a reunion at Songo Pond Beach.

The afternoon was spent visiting

and swimming, followed by a picnic supper.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clapp and children,

David and Madra, of Beverly,

Maas, Mrs. Bill Dampier and

children, Brian and Clyde, of

Gainesville, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Earle

Palmer and children, Earl Ed-

win, Charlene and Carol Lee, of

West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Hamlin and son, Jeff, of Portland,

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellington

and three children of Hanover,

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks

and Edward Wheeler and Wendy, Mr.

and Mrs. Earlon Keniston and

Lion, Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Keniston and children, Martha, Rebecca,

Rachel and David, Mr. and Mrs.

Irving Brown and children, David,

Kathleen and Carol Sue, Mr. and

Mrs. Robert Billings and children,

Larry and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Earlon

Paine and children, Linda and

Dickie.

NEWRY PLANS GREAT SESQUICENTENNIAL PROGRAM SATURDAY

The Newry folks, all 188 of them, are busy with final preparations to celebrate the town's 150th anniversary of its incorporation. This will be an eventful day in the history of Oxford County.

The crowd is expected to gather on the Smith field in time for the 10:30 parade which will be led by Don Holt of East Bethel, a veteran horseman, and Calvin Gross, a former town boy, also mounted. Who will ride in the surrey with the fringe on top? Come and see. Leslie Kendall of Sunday River is assisting the committee with the parade.

Family picnics at noon will bring back memories of many picnics gatherings in Newry during the past century. The Smith field provides ample opportunity for these.

Or you may wish to buy yours from the Grange tent.

Don't forget the Bath Junior American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps which will

ACROSS the DESK

Ideas from other editors

From the Shamokin Citizen, Shamokin, Pennsylvania: What standards of conduct are to apply to American servicemen who become prisoners of the Communists?

As more information becomes public about brainwashing tactics of Communist captors, public sympathy naturally goes out to the victims of this psychological torture. For the policy makers in the Department of Defense, the knotty problem of prescribing correct conduct for American prisoners is being complicated by the public disposition to condone phony confessions.

Fliers recently released by the Chinese have admitted to making "confessions" under duress. The much publicized account of one details the treatment that gradually wore down his resistance and made him finally feel further refusal was futile. More revealing information about brainwashing is promised.

These personal accounts help the general public to appreciate the ordeal of American members of the Armed Forces who have fallen into the hands of Red captors. But the frank commercialization of these experiences make us wonder if a premium is not being placed on submissiveness to the Communist brainwashers.

In establishing a policy of treating with understanding those

subjected to brainwashing, the Defense Department is still concerned with countering this diabolical method of psychological warfare. Esprit de corps is better maintained with a tradition of heroism than it is with a record of submission.

So that no unfair onus can be placed on released prisoners, the Defense Department sanctions publication of the experiences of those who yielded to Communist pressure only after bodies and minds were weakened by continuous mistreatment. But there is danger in repeated publications of these accounts that the standards of conduct for Americans prisoners of war will be lowered.

For the security of America still depends on the will of the soldier to die for his country.

From the Chickasha Star, Chickasha, Oklahoma: With the vacation season upon us, here are suggestions on places to go for folks having trouble deciding on a particular spot.

A camping trip: This is recommended to people who enjoy life in the raw—especially food.

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

Instead of being small potatoes like it was 10 or 15 years ago, natural gas is now some pumpkins—25 million customers for natural gas now warm their shins via gas. So this new idea of slapping on Federal controls, is tinkering that could turn out to be unhappy for many.

Up to now it has been open season for anybody with enough mazurka to own a drilling rig to drill a hole in the ground in the hopes of hitting oil or gas. Oil and gas are close associates. Competition between a raft of little and big producers has kept the prices at a level that has encouraged 25 million to adopt the new fuel.

But now, after many years, comes a court ruling saying the Federal Govt should take a hand in price fixing—have a finger in the pie. So now it is necessary to get the matter cleared up before bad luck catches up with gas. Congress is workin' on it.

I agree with this old Texas Democrat Sam Rayburn—the Speaker of the House—this seasoned old Longhorn says a lot in a few words. He says, "If Federal controls continue we'll have less and less gas which will bring an increase in the price to the consumer." There it is in a Texas nutshell. And Mr. Lee and Mr. Sam are in full agreement, we can have hope.

Yours with the low down,

JO SERRA

"Many financial experts are convinced that lower taxes invariably produce economic improvement. Results of last year's business operations supply corroboration. The people cannot spend money they do not have. When an inordinate percentage of income is gobblin' up by taxes the citizen is handicapped in his spending to that extent."—Framingham (Mass.) News.

There is much more to all this than the irritations and delays congestion causes motorists. It results in injury and death. It has important economic repercussions too. The Journal says, "Ultimately, a few authorities believe jam-packed traffic may even start putting a brake on the auto industry itself, whose \$10,000,000,000 a year volume is a major prop under the nation's current prosperous economy." And congestion added materially to the individual's tire and gasoline bills, as various scientific tests have proven.

One solution, of course, is more and better streets and highways and expressways. But these are exceedingly costly and, even then, don't always do the job. The Journal quotes the chief engineer for Boston's Traffic Commission as saying, "Every major facility I know of here or elsewhere, which was projected 15 or 20 years ahead, proved inadequate almost from the day it was opened to traffic."

In some regions, there is hope that a partial solution may be found in stimulating use of mass transportation systems—busses and commuter trains. These have a virtue in addition to that of carrying capacity—they don't add to municipal parking problems.

HOW'RE CROPS? . . . Burma prime minister U Nu discusses farm problems with U. S. agriculture Secy. Ezra Taft Benson. Premier U is here on good-will visit.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Port Gibson, Miss., Reveille: "Postal Service News tells the story of the Jaybird, looking for nesting material, swooped down on a dilapidated rural mailbox, grabbed a letter in its beak, and flew off. A member of the family started the bird with its heavy cargo, and the letter was dropped—an envelope containing a pension check! Those interested in improving their mailboxes can secure helpful information from their carriers."

Hatfield, Pa., Times: "A \$2,000 auto made by hand would cost \$17,500 . . . and consequently there would be very little automobile production. Because of greater productivity per man, we have so much more for so much less, that citizens can buy things which they could not otherwise afford. With the passing of time, tools and machinery have gradually replaced muscular effort. Today 90 per cent of our total energy is mechanical, 10 percent muscular. Without efficient equipment and machinery our workers could produce little more than their grandfathers. Machines don't make a few things for a few rich families. Mass production means mass distribution, mass consumption. More machines mean more goods for more people!"

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THE BRIDGE CLUB ENJOYS A "COOK OUT"



CHAPIN

Economic Highlights . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual—National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

It's a rare and lucky motorist who hasn't found himself caught in crawling, bumper-to-bumper traffic—or, on occasion, hasn't been brought to a complete standstill and forced to wait helplessly until sweating, swearing police unraveled a tangle of traffic ahead. And it looks as if the situation is going to get worse—perhaps very much worse.

That is the gist of a feature article in a recent issue of the Wall Street Journal, based on traffic problems and experiences in far-flung parts of the country.

The paper cites expedients that are being tried or planned in efforts to solve the almost-insoluble. In various places uniformed, armed National Guardsmen are assigned to help the police on holiday week ends. In Los Angeles the police department actually rents helicopters big enough to lift wrecked cars from the city's freeways—airlifts during the peak hours have stalled all traffic movements for an hour or more. And Lafayette, Indiana is building a new bypass around a bypass built in 1937 to get traffic off the main streets.

The article says, "These desperate measures are symptomatic of the mess piling up for streets since the end of World War II. Millions of dollars of local bond issues are being sold for new expressways and parking garages. There are more traffic cops and they are getting tougher, too. New electronic stop light gadgets, radar and television are being pressed into ser-

vices. All, so far, are still running second heat to the growing congestion on the streets."

The figures tell the story. Ten years ago there were 31,000,000 cars on the road—by next December there will be more than 60,000,000. In another 10 years, according to estimates which many think too low, there will be 81,000,000. On top of that, people are driving their cars farther each year.

There is much more to all this than the irritations and delays congestion causes motorists. It results in injury and death. It has important economic repercussions too. The Journal says, "Ultimately, a few authorities believe jam-packed traffic may even start putting a brake on the auto industry itself, whose \$10,000,000,000 a year volume is a major prop under the nation's current prosperous economy." And congestion added materially to the individual's tire and gasoline bills, as various scientific tests have proven.

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Beaver Falls Pa., News-Tribune:

"Gas is vital to the general well-being and we want it at all times an assured and ample supply, at a fair price. We want no Federal regulation . . . that will hamper the development of additional gas supplies and its transmission to our local industrial and household users."

This year's graduates of schools and colleges enter a world where they are wanted and needed. Gone are the gloomier commencement days of the '30s when the country worried about what to do with the June Crop of graduates....The need for trained workers appears

more urgent than ever. The continuing trend of substituting machines for men is stepping up this demand. The emphasis is shifting from brawn and muscle to craftsmanship. Trained hands and brains are required in the age of automation."—Phila. (Pa. Bulletin).

JOHN W. MCKEE

DALE CARNEGIE

★ AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING" ★

JAMES M. McALEN, 72 Woodlawn Avenue, Needham, Massachusetts, says that two years ago worry had him well on the road toward a nervous breakdown. He was without doubt, he declares, the most comprehensive person and the biggest "worry wart" in the country.

What was he worrying about? The usual things, that people worry about!

First his work was getting the best of him. He would go to the office prepared to do a good day's work and get things done efficiently. Then interruptions would start. Interruptions from the telephone, the unscheduled conference with the boss, the out-of-town customer, and so on and so on. The result would be nothing accomplished. At night he couldn't sleep. Then he began to doubt himself. Decisions that he had made in good faith, he would wonder if he shouldn't recall.

Financially he was secure. He hadn't overextended himself but no sooner had he paid one bill when he would begin to worry whether he would be able to pay the next.

Finally he realized that the worst thing that could happen to him was to lose his health. So he began to worry about that!

Then he suddenly made the luckiest decision in his life. He first sought the advice of three people: his wife, his pastor and his doctor. In each case the recommendation was the same, "Live for today," and let tomorrow take care of itself. He decided to do just that and now he doesn't worry about his work. If he can't get it done today then there is always tomorrow. When he makes a decision it is made, and he knows he will make both good and bad ones, but he finds that the good decisions outnumber the bad ones.



CARNEGIE

JOHN W. MCKEE

SOUTH W.

—Olive P. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins, Nestor Tamm, Devene Satur, Mrs. James A. They brought with them for Mrs. Nestor Tamm.

William St. Saturday evening to the CMG lance.

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. —
Mrs. Mary F. Babcock entertained the Bryant Pond Garden Club at her summer home, Gore Road, Thursday afternoon, with 23 members and guests in attendance. Tentative plans were announced by the President, Mrs. John Tebbets, of the Flower Show to be held at the Bryant Pond Town Hall, Thursday, August 18. Mrs. Addelyn Mann showed colored slides taken by her at Brewster Hall, Bradenton, Fla., and other places on the West Coast of Florida, which were much enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Florence Bean, Mrs. Bertha Beck and Mrs. Mann.

Mrs. Lillian Gates, Somerville, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Bertha Houghton for two weeks.

Mrs. Mildred Small, Auburn, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Noyes, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hill, Augusta, were the Sunday guests of Miss Hazel Abbott and W. B. Jackson. Fourteen people from the Bryant Pond Universalist Church, attended the 100th anniversary services of the Canton Universalist Church Sunday, and reported a fine service, with Rev. Gordon Newell, giving the sermon.

Basil Green has bought the former Wallace Whitman place on Upper Main Street, and is moving with his family and his grandfather, Mr. Whitman, there this week.

Mrs. Robert Crockett spent a few days this week with her father, Albert True, at New Gloucester.

Samuel Redman and family have moved to the house which he bought of Lester Bryant on Church Street. Mr. Bryant's daughter, Mrs. Louise Foster, has moved to the house formerly owned by Mrs. Fannie Wheeler.

A food sale will be held by the Universalist Ladies at Lizzie Russ' lawn on Friday, July 29, instead of July 22, as announced last week. The sale will start at 11:30 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bacon, Boston, Mass., are at Brookside Cottage for four weeks. Her sister, Miss Mildred Wentworth, South Portland, is staying with them for two weeks.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Olive P. Davis, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews, Mrs. Frank Perham and Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen went to Camp Devens Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Andrews and family. They brought Tony Andrews back with them for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen.

William Strout had an ill turn Saturday evening and was rushed to the CMG Hospital by ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean went to Camp Eureka on Pleasant Pond Friday for a few days stay.

Carolyn Dean is employed at the shoe shop in Norway this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brook called at Ellis Davis' home one evening this past week.

Janice Penley and Mary Stuart Hadley of West Paris called on Mrs. Paul Bean one afternoon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tucci and family broke camp after a two weeks stay at the Helkkinen cottage on North Pond. Mr. Tucci returned to South Weymouth while Mrs. Tucci and children went to her mother's home, Mrs. Martha Helkkinen, for a longer stay.

Mrs. Olive Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bryant spent three days at Kozy Nook, North Pond, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Richer of New York City are staying at Kozy Nook for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cummings of Portland were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis, Sunday night.

The Willig Workers met with Mrs. Milton Pierce Wednesday, the 13th, in the evening. It was voted to postpone the food sale until August. Those present were Mrs. Harlan Andrews, Mrs. Sayward Lamb, Mrs. Guyson Davis, Mrs. Elmo Heikkinen, Mrs. Zilla Silver, Mrs. Ralph Dean and Carolyn, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morehouse of Rockland, Mass., spent several days at Camp Gladys on Shaga Pond, returning home Friday. Hilda Andrews returned with them for a visit. Thomas Chinellis of Baltimore, Md., visited the Morehouses while they were in camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland Sr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wing, spent several days at Harlan Andrews' camp (Camp Eureka) on Pleasant Pond, the past week.

Corporal and Mrs. James Andrews are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at Camp Devens hospital in Massachusetts, Sunday night. They have named it Deven.

Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb and family spent Sunday at their camp lot on North Pond. They are clearing it out getting ready to build.

Evon Hussey, who is helping Ellis Davis in haying, went home sick Monday afternoon.

Waitress—A girl who thinks many grows on trays. Changing Times.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Florence Swift, Corres. — Beach patrol for next week is: Monday, July 25, Sylvia Luxton; Wednesday, July 27, Ella Cole; Friday, July 29, Dora Ford.

Ken Martin visited Blaine Mills several days last week.

Roland Dunham, Herbert Dunham, Leland Dunham, Arnold Jordan, Joe Cole, were in New York over the week end and attended a major league baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seames have sold their house on the East Bethel road to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon of Walker's Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Seames are living with her parents until their new home is completed.

Mrs. Eva Ripley, Albany, was the guest of her granddaughter, Mrs. Gordon Roberts, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift visited Mr. and Mrs. George Biden and family, Sunday. Miss Cassandra Biden returned with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford spent Friday in Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McAlister were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Clifford, at Worthley Pond, recently.

Elco Tebbets Co. resumed work Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan and Madeline, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swan Jr., attended the Pratt family reunion at Harrison last Thursday.

Mrs. Bertha Emmons was home from her work at Sebago this week end.

NOTICE OF LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of Deposit issued by said bank and numbered 8814 has been destroyed or lost and it is desired that a new book be issued.

Bethel Savings Bank
By D. Grover Brooks, Treas.
Bethel, Maine 28-30

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. — At a special gathering of Upton Grange No. 404 on Wednesday evening July 13th one candidate, Mrs. Jessie Good, was instructed in the lessons of the 1st and 2nd degrees.

Visitors from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holt of Bear River Grange. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Mrs. Cecil Cripe and Mrs. Charles Heywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodrum and family went to Biddeford Saturday to visit his brother and family. They returned Sunday bringing with them eleven registered white rabbits.

Miss Helen Montague and friend of Needham, Mass., spent the week end at her cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Heywood of Worcester, Mass., have arrived at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson and family spent the week end with relatives in Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cripe have returned to Toledo, Ohio, for two weeks.

D. D. Drower Brooks has sold his place to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pluckney of Toledo, Ohio.

There was no church service on Sunday, July 17, because Mr. Norworthy was called to New Hampshire.

shire by an automobile accident of his sister.

Mrs. Willard Wight and sons of Great Works were week end guests of Ben Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds of Haverhill, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson last week.

Two new camps are being built in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavesque and Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Fontaine and family of Berlin, N. H., were Sunday guests of their brother, Roland and Bernice, and family. The two Fontaine girls remained for a visit.

People in town are nearly through haying. The hay crops are large and good this year.

The falling drops at last will wear the stone. —Lucretius

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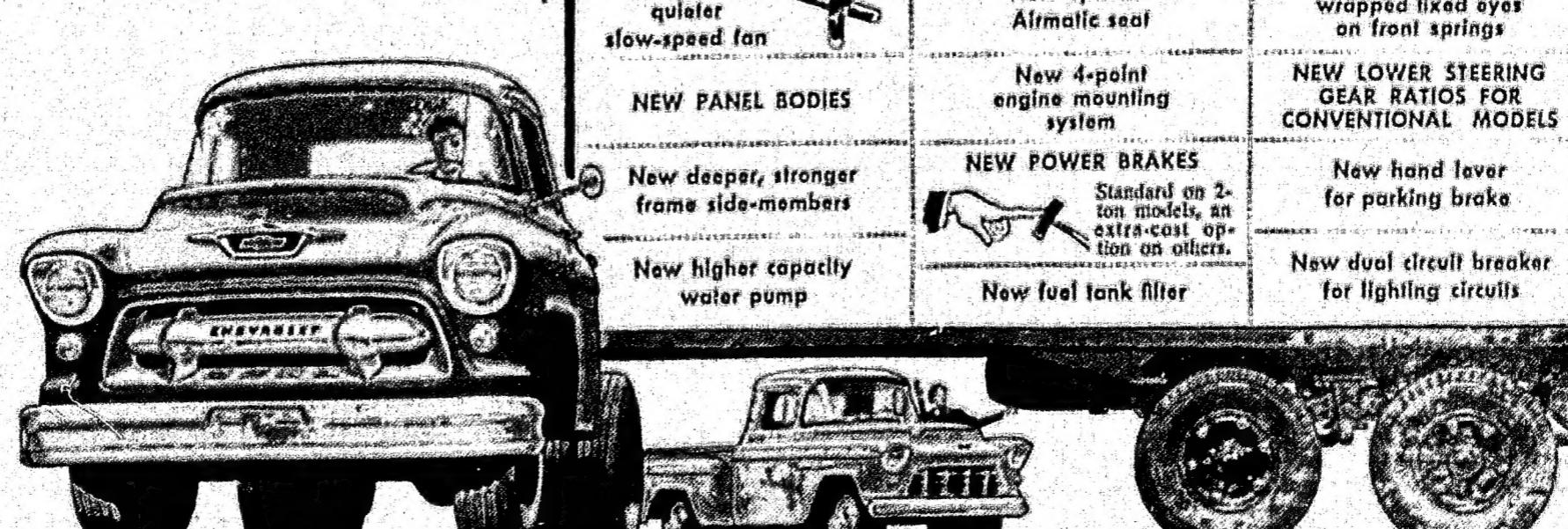
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Thursday, July 21

Read Matthew 13:44-46.
Again, the kingdom of heaven is like unto a merchant man, seeking goodly pearls: who, when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all that he had, and bought it. (Matthew 13:45, 46.)

A NY real jewel is expensive because jewels are rare. There are many imitations, some so good that they are sometimes mistaken for the real thing. Even the best imitation is still an imitation, and therefore cheap in comparison with a real stone.

As a young man, Jesus was shown all the kingdoms of this world but would not take them as His own possession on the basis offered. He knew them to be imitation stones. Instead, He chose the "pearl of great price," the King-

dom not of this world.

In order to have "the pearl," He had to forsake all else: the devil's offer of power, the Jews' desire to crown Him king, His own life.

We, likewise, have to dispose of all those things which are, in God's sight, of little value in order to obtain the "pearl of great price"—the kingdom. We cannot possess the kingdom for less than the full price—love for God and love for our neighbors as ourselves.

Prayer

Eternal Father, help us to give up all else that we may obtain the pearl of great price whose value never decreases in time or in eternity.

In Christ's name and for His sake we seek this pearl. Amen.

Thought For The Day

"Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven."—Max Zaleman (Israel)



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2-42 Church School

There will be no services at the Methodist Church until August 7, but the Church School will continue.

Friday Gift Shop, 1-5 p. m.

WEST PARISH CHURCH

Charles L. Pendleton, Minister

Mrs. John Tabbets, Choir Director

Miss Dawson Christie, Organist

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship

The morning's sermon is entitled

"Two or Three." Soloist will be

Mrs. McInvin Tenney.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

Scriptural Selections: "And he said unto them, This kind can come forth by nothing, but by prayer and fasting" (Mark 9:29).

An informal meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marcuse at 8:30 in the evening. All interested are welcome.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

There will be Catholic Mass every Sunday this summer until Labor Day at Gould Academy Gymnasium, Bethel, at 8:30 a. m. For more information call Terrace 6-2428. Speak French and English.

WEST BETHEL

UNION CHURCH

Rev. Raymond Bradley, pastor

Sunday sermon, "Fallacies of Prayer."

Service at 9:30 a. m.

Sunday School at 10:30.

Junior Maple Grove Youth Fellowship, 4:00 p. m.

Senior Maple Grove Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.

Vacation Bible School will start Monday at 1:30 p. m. and will be conducted for two weeks ending with a program and presentation of awards Friday evening, Aug. 6.

At a meeting of the Vacation

July 18, 1955

The Will to Believe

Inherent in all peoples of the earth, whether Gentile or Jew, black or white, bond or free, is a certain credulity which overshadows the simpler, more material facts of existence, and to which we pin our frail hopes and latent sorrows. It is the will to believe, the faith in something or someone greater than ourselves, the light by which we navigate our bark upon the sea of life and gain the shore securely. And as many as the stars that shine, are the beliefs of men.

The light that glows across the expanse of humanity has more than once become a feeble ray, but for those whose faith remains intact from year to year, it shines with undimmed splendor. It is a beacon in every storm, and will be an everlasting light to them that believe.

I am sure that if it were not for something to cling to, very few of us would ever be able to stand up before the struggles and trials of our earthly existence, as has been the case with so many, for whom the effort has proved too great. Thus our great need for something on which we can depend and to which we can look in times of trouble. And this should not be a blind belief, a unconscious wavering between the false and the true, an aim transmuted from one to another which has become stale and tasteless in the handling.

The average width of a tornado path is 1,200 feet; average length of path, 16 miles.

Industrial research claims to have developed an adhesive so strong that a thin smear the size of a quarter would support an automobile hanging from the ceiling.

The belief that carelessness and speed cause highway casualties are reflected in statistics showing that three out of four traffic accidents happen in clear weather on dry roads.

U. S. farmers are discovering that crop dryers are an indispensable implement to successful farming.

Rather should we clearly determine what we believe, and having thus determined, we should strengthen our beliefs and by this strength will come success and peace, and all the worthwhile attributes which are the outcome of a stupendous trust in the good and true.

Then take your faith and mold it, into something pure and fine, steer your bark with steady hand, and for you the light will shine.

Muriel D. Faust

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4-H'ers Eliminate "Accident Havens"



How many hazards can you find?*

SAFETY, a crop to be harvested on every farm and in every home, is receiving special attention from more than one-half million 4-H Club members taking part in the 1955 National 4-H Safety Program.

As a part of their 4-H Club work, members in all 48 states are correcting hazards such as those seen in the above drawing. They are attempting to reduce the Nation's annual farm toll of 14,500 lives, 1,250,000 injuries, and an economic loss of about a billion dollars.

4-H'ers, working as individuals or in groups through their local clubs, conduct surveys to locate hazards, then correct the unsafe conditions. They give demonstrations on hundreds of topics pertaining to farm, home and highway safety. Members present talks before group meetings and over radio and television; put displays in store windows; and build booths at fairs.

*In the drawing there are more than 45 accident hazards or unsafe practices shown. Don't let them occur on your farm or in your home.

To assist the Cooperative Extension Service in conducting the 4-H Safety Program, General Motors has just published a new "4-H Safety Handbook for Local Leaders," which provides how-to-do-it ideas for carrying out successful safety programs. Copies of the manual will be distributed to volunteer 4-H leaders through County Extension Offices.

In addition, GM provides incentives in the National 4-H Safety Awards program which is arranged by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work. Medals are made available to four county winners; an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago is given to the state winner; and \$300 college scholarships are presented to eight national winners.

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Here is a common sense rule that can help us to determine the speed at which we should drive: Our State Police tell us that we are probably driving too fast if we are passing many cars...too slowly, if many cars are passing us. If possible let's drive with traffic.

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FARMING IS DANGEROUS BUSINESS, SAYS SAFETY COUNCIL

Farming in Maine is a dangerous business no matter how you look at it, says the Maine Farm and Home Safety Council. Farming accounts for more fatal accidents than any other single occupation. In addition, there are about 85 serious injuries for every fatality on the farm.

The Farm and Home Safety Council was organized this past winter to help Maine farm people correct and remove hazards that might result in accidents. Also, following safe practices and "thinking safety" day and night will help cut Maine's high accident toll.

The Council is urging farm people to cooperate in observing National Farm Safety Week from July 24 to 30. It hopes that this will be the start of an intensive and continued safety drive on Maine farms and in Maine homes.

George E. Lord, of Orono, associ-

ate director of the Extension Service of the University of Maine, is chairman of the Farm and Home Safety Council. Representatives of all the Maine rural organizations agencies make up its membership.

Five "don'ts" for machinery safety are listed by Lord. They include, first, not allowing anyone but the driver on the tractor. Be especially careful not to let children ride a moving tractor. One fatality in every 10 on the farm involves a youngster under five years old.

Secondly, don't operate machinery without proper guards on shafting, gears, belts, and other moving parts. And never lubricate a machine while it's running, points out Lord.

Also, don't hitch the load to anything but the drawbar of the tractor. And, finally, don't operate the tractor at high speeds.

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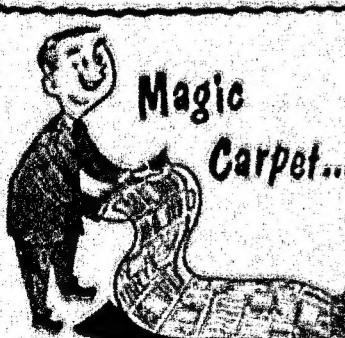
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A Tribute: MRS. TENA THURSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball from Locke Mills were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell.

Ruth Ellen Kimball was the week end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Verna Robinson in Gorham, Maine.

"Bill" Kimball bought a veal calf of Roy Wardwell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer of Lovell called on Hazel Wardwell Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell Sunday afternoon.

Haying is the order of the day in this locality.

EASTERN STATES PRIZE LIST NOW AVAILABLE

Nearly \$50,000 in cash premiums plus trophies valued in excess of \$10,000 will be awarded livestock competitors at the 1955 Eastern States Exposition which this year will operate September 17-25, according to Exposition General Manager Jack Reynolds.

Reynolds said that \$47,000 in cash will be paid out to persons exhibiting cattle, sheep, horses, and poultry at the annual nine day Exposition. The West Springfield fair is the largest livestock show east of Chicago. Trophies worth more than \$10,000 will also be awarded.

The Exposition livestock prize list has just been released and is available to interested persons at no charge. Just drop a card or letter to: Livestock Committee, Eastern States Exposition, West Springfield, Massachusetts.

FARMERS WARNED TO WATCH FOR ARMYWORMS

Maine farmers and property owners are warned to be on the lookout for armyworms this week. Some have been found on an oat field in York County, but it's impossible to guess whether or not they'll create a serious infestation in Maine this year. Heptachlor, aldrin, chlordane, or DDT may be used, following directions from the county agent or those on the container. As with most insects, control is easiest when the armyworms are small.

CORN BORER TO ARRIVE EARLIER THAN USUAL

A very unwelcome guest, the European corn borer, may reach Maine cornfields earlier than usual this year, says Dr. John Hawking of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station. First applications of DDT or Ryania should be made when corn is in the late whorl or early tassel stage if signs of borer larvae are present. Later treatments at five-day intervals are often needed. Your county agent has details.

Now Holstein, Wis., Reporter: "During the conflict between Joseph Stalin and Leon Trotsky for control of the Communist machine in Russia in 1924, a blueprint of world conquest was drafted by the Stalinites. Stalin wrested control from Trotsky and later had him murdered. This blueprint of conquest, according to Dr. Fred Schwarz, the noted Australian scholar on Communism, calls for the conquering of Asia first, then Africa, then Western Europe, then to isolate, degenerate, and if necessary, devastate the U. S."

Boothbay, Me., Register: "Suppose that each of us was assessed in one lump sum the same amount we now pay in hidden taxes. This lump sum would have a pretty sobering effect, and those of us who clamor for more and more government services and subsidies would be likely to revise our thinking considerably.... The inescapable fact is.... that the people have to pay for what their government spends. The amount they pay is going to be the same, whether it is taken from them a cent at a time or in one fat, fearful sum."

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ALBANY - WATERFORD

Lillian L. Brown, Corres. — Fred E. Holt of Augusta called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, on Monday.

Mrs. Miles Warren of Woodbury, Conn., and friends from California called on Lila Marr, Sunday, also Mrs. Earl Warren, Mrs. Yates, and friends, from North Bridgton, visited Mrs. Marr.

Berkley Henley brought his mother, Bern Henley, to visit Del Brown, Friday afternoon, they also called on several relatives while here. It's always pleasant to meet old neighbors.

Among the recent callers at Ernest Brown's were Clara Butterfield, Mary Perry, Mrs. Myron Chaplin and family, Robert Grover, Don Rugg, Haywood Lord, Fred Sayward, Don Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Lord, Ernest Wentworth and friend, Mrs. Eleanor Mexey and family, and Ernest Clifford.

A party from New York spent the week end at Mocking Bird Hill Farm.

MORE THAN 1000 REGISTER AT MAINE SUMMER SESSION

Over 1000 students are now enrolled in the annual Summer Session at the University of Maine. This session, which is under the direction of Dean Mark R. Shibley, of the School of Education, will continue through August 12.

The total enrollment will be increased when registration for the second series of three-week courses takes place on July 29.

About 160 courses in subjects ranging from botany to speech are being offered during the session. Many of those registered are teachers and school administrators although there are a number of others taking courses this summer.

Those registered from Oxford County, the schools where they teach, and their hometowns are as follows:

Bethel: Walter Marcuse, director of music, Gould Academy.

Bryant Pond: James H. Tyler.

Wayne P. Lago, principal, Woodstock High School.

Buckfield: Roland M. Mayberry, principal, Buckfield school.

Canaan: Edmund H. Gleason, principal, Canaan High School.

Dixfield: Frances M. Brown, Dixfield High School.

Fryeburg: Frederick T. Schoch.

Hiram: Hubert W. Clemens, Mexico: Leon R. Street, Mexico High School; Robert E. Street, Stephens High School.

Norway: Oliver F. Haskell, Theodore H. Foster, Norway High School.

Orono: Forrest A. Shedd, assistant principal, Mexico High School; Eric B. Lester.

Parsonsfield: Clara E. Griffith, Canfield School; Irene H. Ferry, Dixfield School; John R. Averill, Ellsworth High School; John H. Hall, Mattawamkeag Corn School; John M. Moulton, Ellsworth High School; Ivan V. Welch, Virginia School; Victor E. Brockbank.

Standford Center: Lorraine E. Churchill, principal, Virginia School.

South Paris: Harry S. Stearns, Woodward High School; McLe D. Bryant, Paris Junior High School; Donald A. Gehrt, Paris High School; Elvira Sirney, Bath Junction High School, Bath.

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AIRMEN ALL . . . Lt. Gen. James Doolittle (left) congratulates Air Force chief-of-staff Gen. Nathan F. Twining (center) when he was sworn in for second 2-year term, as air force Sec. Harold Talbot smiles.

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Besse Harvey, Corres. —

Mrs. Fred Bennett is reported some better in health at the Coos County Hospital in Stewartstown, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fraser and sons Orlando and Richard, of Bethel, spent the week end with Fred Bennett and went with him to the hospital to visit Mrs. Bennett.

Miss Martha Bennett went to Litchfield Saturday taking her nieces, Melinda Mulhern, home. Roger Mulhern, who is in the Marines, is home on a 15-day furlough.

The Reverend Richard Elbridge held Communion service at the Wilson's Mills Church, Sunday. Mrs. Agnes Olson played the organ.

The Vacation Bible School will be held in Errol starting July 23rd and ending August 5th.

We have been having the hottest weather ever known here but almost everyone has their buying done.

The Reverend Roger Barney of Concord and his assistant, Miss Margot Brown, with The Mountain Mission by Mail pupils in this vicinity, held their annual picnic at Sturtevant Pond last Friday.

Jesse Flint called on relatives and friends last Sunday evening. He is employed at the Balsams.

Thunder Bird



The "Thunder Bird" totem pole at the Canadian National Railway station at Jasper, Alta., is not only of great age, but is one of the finest totem poles in existence. The giant totem pole, 60 feet high, was brought to Jasper from the Queen Charlotte Islands where it was hand-carved by the "Masset-Inlet-Town" people. According to the Indians, the mythical bird has the power to produce thunder and lightning. H.O.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mrs. Lee Faulkenham, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faulkenham and son, Brandon, of Andover, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton.

Mrs. Lillian Moore of South Paris and Mrs. Evelyn Harrington were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

There will be a Rummage Sale at the Grange Hall on July 30.

The Early Risers and the Lucky Clover 4-H clubs attended Oxford County 4-H Field Day at Bear Pond Park in Turner, Tuesday, July 19.

Mrs. Hannah Coolidge of South Paris is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mollicone were in Winthrop over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith and sons, Charles, Ronnie and Harold, of South Rumford, were week end visitors of Mrs. Nannette Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis of West Paris were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis.

Richard Jamison has returned home after visiting at Worthley Pond for a few weeks.

Bobby Clark is feeling much better but will have to remain in the hospital for several more days for more skin grafting on his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Blakes were among those who were at Penobscot Sunday, with the Couples Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark, Robert and Jane, of Westbrook, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt. Jane stayed for a week's visit with Peggy.

Barbara and Evelyn Mundt went to Westbrook Saturday to spend a week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crugin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Davis had for Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hamlin of Gorham, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin and two sons, of Falmouth, Foreside.

Mrs. Marion Soule and Mary Stanley were in North Bridgton, Tuesday.

Mrs. Susie Capen suffered a bad fall at her home.

Mrs. Willis Ward has been ill and under a doctor's care.

Mrs. Buddy Howe, son, Robert, of Portland, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward.

Seventeen hundred types of wool, each with distinct spinning qualities, are produced on Australian sheep ranches. One bale of extra-superfine lamb's wool recently sold for a record \$320 a pound.

So far as tonnage is concerned, American fishermen bring in more shrimp than any other shellfish variety. Crabs, oysters, clams, lobsters and scallops follow in that order.

In the last half-century, the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway has handled more than 330 million tons of coal at its ports at Newport News, Va., enough to make up a single trainload of hopper cars 50,000 miles long, or twice around the globe at the equator.

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Mrs. Florence Hastings was at Berry Hill Orchard in Livermore, Tuesday, to pick cherries.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holt and family of Naples, Mass., are vacationing here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred King and family, Miss Virginia Hill and Henry Hill of Augusta, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Richard and Louville Farwell have returned from the Vacation Bible Camp in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett were in Kennebunkport July 11 and 12.

Mrs. Dorothy Graves was a visitor Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Maine Extension Service agents broadcast more than five hours each week over Maine radio stations.

ain Grange, Albany, Monday. Mrs. Guy Bartlett received a call from Keith Bartlett from the Pacific Coast on her birthday. He will be sailing again for some islands and does not expect to be home for a vacation before September.

Mrs. Bernice Noyes visited Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Grant in Winslow, July 9 through the 12.

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WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Paul W. Croteau, Cor. — Mrs. Henry Bowers and Mrs. Dwight Martin and children of Locke Mills called at Mrs. Paul Croteau Jr.'s Thursday afternoon.

Miss Gloria Wilson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Evans Wilson and son, Malvern, to Auburn Saturday.

Mrs. Amy Bunker, Mrs. Randolph Rosenberger and Rene and Misses Mary and Carolyn Mills were in Norway recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau accompanied their son, Solon, to Rochester, N. H., Sunday to meet their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daley, who will take him to his base in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Farnum and baby called at Alden Wilson's recently.

Mrs. Amy Bunker and Mrs. Randolph Rosenberger were in Bryant Pond Thursday calling on relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Croteau called at Paul Croteau's one evening last week.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met at their hall July 16, with our W. M. George Stearns in the chair. This was to be "Safety Nite" but "Smoky the Bear's" Dad was suddenly ill so "Smoky" could not be with us so "Safety Nite" will be at a later date. There were yards of discussion as to what would be done at the Newry Sesquicentennial July 23. Don't miss it under any conditions. On account of the heat only a small number were out but it was a very nice meeting. Our Lecturer got up a very good "hurry up" program — so all in all it was very much worth going to. Refreshments were served after the meeting of assorted sandwiches, cakes and cold punch. Next meeting will be July 23 and if ever you go to Grange don't fail that night.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mt. Abram Lodge, No. 81, L. O. O. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. A. R. Runnels, Secretary, George Lethrop.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G. Blanche Berryment, President, Hilda Donahue.

Parity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Helen Morton, Secretary, Ethel Blasee.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 134, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, George Gilbert. Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Donald Christie. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets first Thursday afternoons. President, Sylvia Luxton. Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Eleanor Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mary Angovine. Secretary, Ruth Eastman.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Edith Howe. Secretary, Mrs. R. Tibbets.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Frank Nary. Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 27, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Dana Brooks, Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Dr. Joe Trinward. Secretary, James Hutchins.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets first Wednesday evenings. President, Evans Wilson. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Wednesday evenings. President, Jay Willard. Secretary, Mrs. Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Ned Wheeler. Secretary, Helen Verner.

Mend-At-Sea Post No. 81, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commander, Leslie Kendall. Adjutant, Jack Campas.

Knock-Ahead Unit, No. 81, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Josephine Tripp. Secretary, Miss Donahue.

Bear River Grange, No. 166, West Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Richard Stevens. Secretary, Marguerite Hartman.

Bear River Grange, No. 200, Norway. Meets every other Saturday. Master, George Stearns. Secretary, Ida Wight.

Bethel Auxiliary of Remond Community Hospital. Meets first Monday evenings. President, Agnes Weston. Secretary, Janet Nichols.

Scamp Club meets Wednesday after school, 3:30 to 5:00 p. m. at home of Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Paradise Road. President, John Dayton. Secretary, Donald O'Brien.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



This is what I get for not reading the small print in my contract!

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres. —

Miss Mary Kneeland was guest of honor at our pre-nuptial shower at her home Tuesday night. Games were enjoyed and refreshments including a bridal cake made by Mrs. Clarence Rolfe were served by the hostesses. Mrs. Clarence Rolfe, Mrs. Clayton Kendall, Mrs. Roland Kneeland and Mrs. Leland Mason. Miss Joan Bennett served the bridal cake. The gifts were under an umbrella prettily decorated in white and yellow. Those present were Mrs. Maggie Lowell, Mrs. Dorris Walker, Mrs. Mary Abbott, Mrs. Carla Bennett, Mrs. Olive Head, Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Misses Gloria Jane and Sue Kneeland, Timothy Morrill, West Bethel; Mrs. Iva Hutchins, Mrs. Doris Lord and Miss Joan Bennett, Bethel. Several neat gifts who were unable to attend.

The Ladies Aid of Bryant Pond met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton Wednesday, July 13th, for their annual party. Those present were Mrs. Verna Swan, Keith and Andrea Swan, Bertha Houghton, Mildred Westcott, Marguerite Chase, Harriet Stetson, Gertrude Hayes, Lulu Sweetser, Ann Crockett and Bessie Andrews.

The Ladies Aid Society will sponsor a pot-luck supper at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall, Thursday, at 6 P. M.

Mrs. Richard Walker was in Lewiston Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wild, Shelburne, N. H.

Mrs. Clarence Rolfe was in Portland, Wednesday.

Mrs. Joyce Butterfield of Farmington Falls called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton recently.

Donald, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Luxton fell last Thursday and broke his leg.

Edgar Barrett of Sumner has started on construction of a pond on his farm. Mr. Barrett constructed a pond a few years ago, but he would like one for a larger capacity, which might be used for fire protection in an emergency.

Most of you folks know of the Oxford County Agricultural Field Day to be held August 16 at the

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

The Vacation Bible School will close with a program at 8 p. m. Friday.

Mrs. Phyllis Williamson left Saturday for a couple of weeks vacation with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Daisy Crosby is entertaining her daughter and families. Mr. and Mrs. Julian Howard of Goose Rock, their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Howard, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen and family of Barre, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howard. So the red house has some great-grandchildren to play in its yard.

Mrs. Minnie Nowlin, Laura Yates, and David Fleet were in Lewiston Saturday.

David Fleet was confined to the house most of last week with infected teeth.

Mrs. Edwin Morrill and two daughters, Eva and Shirley, spent the day Sunday with Mr. Elwin Brown and daughter, Elsie.

Conservation Farming

In Oxford County

by Douglas L. Marston

Soil Conservation Service

Edmund Smith of West Bethel is making good use of the two ponds he constructed last year. Mr. Smith has been irrigating from the ponds since the dry weather started. One pond needs to be enlarged as Mr. Smith says he can pump it dry in 2½ hours, but that it will fill up again over night. The present pond has a capacity of about 75,000 gallons.

If the pond were enlarged to twice its present size this would allow about 8 hours of pumping time during the day and it should fill up again during the night.

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres. —

Mrs. Eva Keniston and her mother, Mrs. Lillian Fiske, have been staying for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Littlefield, Locke Mills.

Mrs. Milton Inman has returned home from the CMG Hospital with her son, Gary Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Waterhouse and Phillip and Mrs. Violet Martin and Robert have been on a trip to Joplin, Missouri, where they visited Mrs. Martin's son, Ruper.

Mrs. Dora Emery is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Farrar and Gerald Rice has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Portland.

Mrs. Lois Yates is guest of her

sister, Mrs. Maud Cole, in Portland.

Mrs. Laura and Miss Ruth McKeon are entertaining Mrs. Mary Harmon, Joseph Bona Sera, and Jack Scales of Cambridge, Mass.

Miss Theresa and Sheila Heath and Edward Legere, Chisholm, visited with Mrs. Bruno, Nashua, N. H., for a few days.

Mrs. Sandra Gardner spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and Debra in Portland.

Mrs. Walter Inman returned home Sunday from Maine General Hospital, where she has been for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pearson had as guests for the week end Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald and Arthur Smith of Newburyport, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Eino Polvinen and family, former residents here, now of Roslindale, Mass., and Mrs. Polvinen's sister and her husband from Dorchester, Mass., are vacationing this week at Stanley Andrews' cottage on North Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carpenter and Jane, Portland, were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Proctor. Miss Donna Proctor went back to spend this week with them.

Mrs. Lee Dean was hostess to an afternoon party Saturday. Roland Lord furnished the entertainment.

Those present were Mrs. Nelle Libby, Mrs. Joyce Ellis, Mrs. Bette Marshall, Mrs. Evelyn Chamberlain, Mrs. Edna Emery, Miss Irene Berry, Mrs. Myrtle Downing, Mrs. Lula Buck, Mrs. Doris Lawrence, and Mrs. Miriam Inman, Marshall and Vivian.

Mr. and Mrs. James Andrews, of Shirley, Mass., are being congratulated on a new son, Daven, born Monday, July 18. Mrs. Andrews, the former Patricia Tamminen of Greenwood, and son, are at the Camp Devens Hospital.

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The rates which practically every insurance agent charges are established by the New England Fire Insurance Rating Association and approved by the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Maine. The rate adjustments recently announced have the approval of the Insurance Commissioner and carry reductions in rate on certain dwelling, mercantile and manufacturing risks. However, there are some exceptions so that we can not promise reductions for all types of property. We fully intend to make any and all reductions and refunds to our customers on those policies which qualify.

These new rates and adjustments were effective June 13, 1955. Furthermore, policies effective on or after April 30, 1955 will be adjusted on a Pro Rata basis as of June 13, 1955.

These reduced rates are now being used by us and refunds on qualifying policies will be made as time will permit.

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FROM OUR FILES

15 YEARS AGO
It was announced that "War Book Five" would be issued in December.

Dr Harry Young of Portland was elected president of the Maine Dental Association.

Clayton Mills purchased the building on Main Street formerly occupied by the Star Lunch.

Ernest Mundt bought the Nelsie Barbour property on Railroad Street.

Death: Mrs Mary Powers Bonham.

20 YEARS AGO
Vacation Bible School held closing exercises at the Congregational Church.

Bear were reported killing stock in pastures.

25 YEARS AGO
There was a large attendance at the Middle Intervale Community Get-Together. Open house was held at the Carter home.

The fire-whistle was put out of commission by lightning.

Death: Frank Young.

40 YEARS AGO
Edward P. Lyon purchased the jewelry and phonograph departments of the Edward King store.

The town of Rumford appropriated \$45,000 for the construction of a public building.

BETHEL JUNIOR PINE TREE LEAGUE NOTES

The Bethel Ponies continued their hot pace to remain in first place by winning two more games this past week. Sunday, July 17, South Paris journeyed to Bethel to play the local team and wound up on the losing end by a score of 14-1. Richard Saunders pitched his first game for the locals and was never in trouble as his mates gave him almighty support. Home runs were hit by catcher Dick Roberts (2) and 3rd baseman Albert Sumner (1). The leading hitters were Sumner with 4 for 4, Saunders 3 for 4, D Roberts 2 for 3, and Joddy 3 for 5.

Tuesday, July 19, Norway played Bethel at Thurston Field and the locals finally won 11-6. The game was nip and tuck for the first four and one half innings and then the ponies finally pulled away and scored five runs. Eddie White pitched a fine game, striking out nine men and allowing two bases on balls. Dick Roberts continued his home run pace by hitting two more round trippers driving in seven runs. Jerry Smith hit well, getting two for three.

Games Scheduled for This Week

Friday, July 23 Oxford at Bethel 6:15 p.m.

Sunday, July 24 Rumford All stars at Bethel 2 p.m.

Tuesday, July 26 Bethel Ponies at Norway 6:15 p.m.

BORN
To Norman, Mass., July 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kalle of Bethel, a daughter, Cynthia Jean.

At Fort Devens, Mass., July 17, to Col. and Mrs. James Andrews of South Woodstock, a son, Devan.

In Rumford, July 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown of Bethel, a son.

DIED
Is Newby, July 17, Mrs. Pearl Weeks Lombard, aged 66 years.

SPORTS CORNER

BETHEL 14-VIRGINIA 3

After letting Virginia have a 1-0 lead in the second inning the Bethel PTL entry broke loose for nine tallies in the third to win going away at the West Bethel diamond Sunday afternoon. Lawrence Bennett connected for the big blow of the third inning with a grand slam home run. Merle White also homered for the visitors. White went the distance for the locals on the hill, while Fallon and Hallec shared mound chores for Virginia.

Virginia ab h o n
Warner 1 0 0 2 0
Kezal 0 0 0 0 0
H. Bernier 0 0 0 0 0
Martineau c 4 0 0 4 2
Fallon p 18 4 1 1 4 0
Hallec 18 p 4 0 1 5 1
Horns r 2 2 1 0 1
Harlow 2b 2 0 0 4 3
Shea 3b 3 0 2 1 2
Bernier ss 3 0 1 1 2
Totals 20 3 7 22*11

BETHEL 12-BRYANT POND 10
Bethel blew a 10-2 lead and lost 12-10 in a game played at Bryant Pond last Friday evening.

Bethel tallied twice in the third inning and added in the fifth before breaking loose with seven in the top of the sixth. The visitors appeared to have the game sealed away at that point with a 10-2 lead.

Bryant Pond had tallied twice in the last of the fourth, before scoring 10 big runs in the last of the sixth to win the contest.

Bethel ab h o n
Robertson 18 5 1 1 4
Boyd 2b 4 1 2 0 1
E. Rolfe rf 1 0 0 1 0
Bennett lb 4 0 2 10 1
Croteau c 6 0 3 8 2
H. Rolfe cf 5 0 1 0 0
Morton lf 3 1 1 2 0
Witter lf 1 0 0 0 0
Onofrio 2b 4 2 2 2 0
Morrill rf 3b 4 3 3 0 0
White p 3 2 1 0 0

Totals 29 14 24 8

*One out when rain halted game.
Virginia 010 101 00—3
Bethel 009 200 31—14

E: Warner, Martineau 2, Horne, Harlow, Bernier 2, Robertson 2, Boyd, 2B: Fallon, Horne 2, Shea, Merrill, HR: Bennett, White, HB: Bennett 4, Merrill, Sac: Harlow, White, DP: Robertson and Bennett; Boyd, Bennett and Croteau.

HR: White 1, SO: Fallon 1, Hallec 3, White 4, HO: Fallon, 4 in 2 Innings; Hallec, 6 in 5 1/2, HB: by Hallec (Bennett), LP: Fallon.

PINE TREE LEAGUE Standings

Bethel W L Pol.
Bethel 9 4 .002
*Bryant Pond 7 4 .036
Locke Mills 6 5 .545
*Virginia 1 10 .001

*Game of July 20 unreported.

Thursday, July 14
Locke Mills 4, Virginia 2.

Friday, July 15
Bryant Pond 12, Bethel 10.

Sunday, July 17
Bethel 14, Virginia 3.

Tuesday, July 19
Locke Mills 5, Bryant Pond 3.

Wednesday, July 20
Bethel 5, Locke Mills 3.

Bryant Pond—Virginia, unreported.

Friday, July 22
Locke Mills at Virginia

Bethel at Bryant Pond

Sunday, July 24
Bethel at Virginia

Bryant Pond at Locke Mills

Wednesday, July 27
Bryant Pond at Virginia

Locke Mills at Bethel

NOTICE OF LOST BANK BOOK

Notice is hereby given that the Bethel Savings Bank has been notified that book of deposit issued by said bank and numbered 9807 has been destroyed or lost and it is desired that a new book be issued.

Bethel Savings Bank

By D. Grover Brooks, Treas.

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Bob could follow the game better and help the boys.
Braves Win Exhibition Game Tuesday

The Bethel Braves showed lots of spirit and fight to take a close 7-6 decision from Lovell. Although not in the league, Lovell has a fine team. Wayne Perry pitched fine game, showing good control. All the boys played "heads up" ball, and got the big hits when needed. Linnell, Felt, Orlando Frazer, and Charlie Newell led the attack with triples a piece. The Braves would like to thank Nelson Smith, one of the Red Sox players, for filling the gap at shortstop. He did a fine job for us. The Braves substitutes played most of the game, and showed much promise for another year.

Red Sox vs. Bryant Pond

The Bethel Red Sox traveled to Bryant Pond last Thursday night and lashed out with 17 hits to beat Bryant Pond 16 to 5. De Roches and Merrill held the "Tigers" to five hits and fanned eleven men of the home club. McWilliams, Smith and De Roches slammed out three for four.

Red Sox 10 0 3 1 1—16

Bryant Pond 0 1 0 3 1—5

Friday night a small group of loyal fans saw the Red Sox blast out 14 hits to overtake and down a scrappy Oxford ball club. Richard York fanned seven Oxford batters, made two assists, and slammed out 3 hits for 3 trips to the plate. The whole Red Sox club continued the hitting spree and with Co-Captains Hutchins and Rice playing stellar ball around first and second kept the Red Legs out in front.

Oxford 2 5 0 0 2 1—10

Red Sox 2 0 0 7 2—11

Games scheduled for this coming

week:

Sunday, July 24, Red Sox at Oxford

Monday, July 25, Braves vs. Bry-



Viking Queen . . . Ingrid Kolseth, 19, student nurse of Albany, N. Y., was chosen most typical Norwegian American girl, and won air trip to Oslo, Norway.

Carlisle, N. H., Current-Argus:

"Progress is an expensive necessity in the growth of any nation, granted. However, there are times when a little vision and sound thinking by members of Congress could give old John Q. Taxpayor a

ant Pond thome game."

Wednesday, July 27, Red Sox at Norway.

Wednesday, July 27, Braves vs. South Paris (home game).

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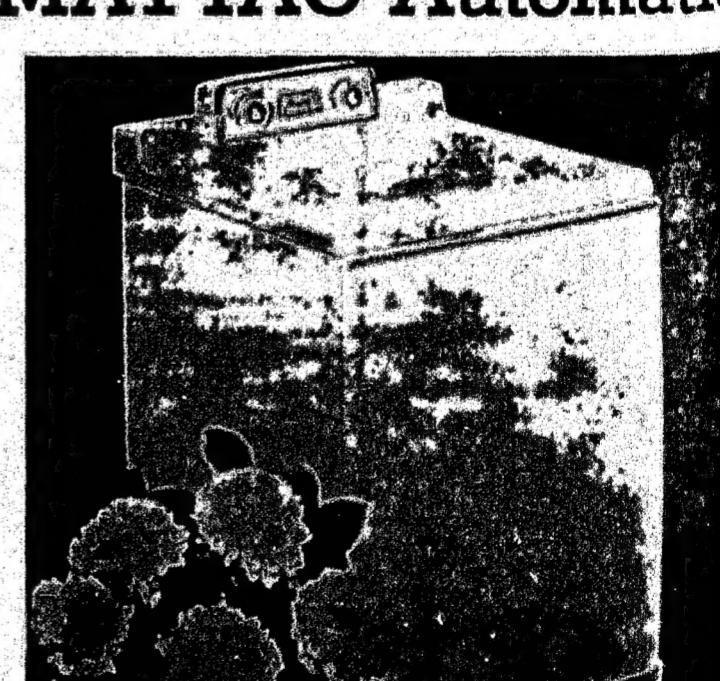
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